

## U.S. Entering Boom Era of Business

**Editor's Note:** The United States is on the threshold of the boom in the country's history, as the United Press Washington state who has just completed a 10-day tour of the country to survey reconstruction, reports in the following districts. In some time before Americans they'd had to do without dur- ing their visit to other reporters, he visited 33 other states and industrial communities and talked with leading business men in the following dis- version.

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Reconversion, Oct. 30—(UPI)—Has industrial reconversion been accomplished?

It has been put in place to make the pots and pans, automobiles, radios and many other products available again after four years. The answer:

Reconversion is almost comple-

ited. We're talking about walking

into stores and showrooms first

in the morning and getting

these things on demand, the ans-

wer is:

These answers were apparent to

all of us, wherever we went on our

trip to the southwest, the Pacific coast,

We saw steel mills, auto-

mobiles, rolling off production lines,

radios, new washing machines,

electric griddles of all kinds

taking shape.

But the fact was that only

part of all these items were

flowing into stores.

I asked the men who were respon-

sible for these things, are going to

have to expand their plant and

meet the pent-up demand for con-

"Our parts suppliers plants are

"We can't get all the parts we

need because our suppliers won't

make them at the OPA price."

One of the men said, "We can't

produce until we have more

labor."

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duce as efficiently as it once did."

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are getting ready to convert our

plants to peacetime production."

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Despite the uncertainty of the

postwar period, the industrialist

met was optimistic about the fu-

ture of the nation. They

were learning during the war

that new products have

been developed and older products

are still good.

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The following Arkansas veterans

arrived in Boston today to have

their uniforms cleaned and re-

stored.

They will be entertained by the

Associated Press.

They will be entertained by the

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